

Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims replaces all prior listings, and versions, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

1. (Currently amended) A method for handling system information in a mobile telecommunications system, the system comprising a network of a plurality of cells and at least one user equipment device, the method comprising, in the user equipment device:

arranging the user equipment device to apply certain received information elements in a defined order;

receiving a system information block of type 11 (SIB 11) relating to idle and connected mode and a system information block of type 12 (SIB 12) relating to connected mode, each of the system information blocks including at least one system information block information element, the information element related to a cell information list and having associated system information;

identifying a same information element from each of ~~system information block of type SIB 11 and system information block of type SIB 12~~ where each of the same information elements is related to at least one cell information list ~~and where the associated system information for each of the same information elements is different~~; and

applying the ~~different~~ system information associated with the identified same information elements according to the defined order;

~~by applying wherein the order defined in the user equipment device specifies that~~ system information associated with the information element from ~~block type SIB 11~~ and then applying the system information associated with the information element from ~~block type SIB 12~~.

2. (Original) A method according to claim 1 wherein the system information block information element is selected from the following system information block information elements: an information element related to an intra-frequency cell information list, an information element related to an inter-frequency cell information list and an information element related to an inter-Radio Access neTwork (RAT) cell information list.

3. (Original) A method according to claim 1 wherein the system information block information element is any of the following: "intra-frequency cell info list", "inter-frequency cell info list" and "Inter-RAT cell info list".

4. (Previously presented) User equipment device configurable for use in a mobile telecommunications system, the system comprising a network of a plurality of cells and at least one user equipment device, the user equipment device being arranged to carry out the steps of claim 1, 2 or 3.

5. (Original) A computer program product comprising program code means stored on a computer readable medium for performing the method of claim 1, 2 or 3 when the program is run on a computer.

6. (Currently amended) A method for handling system information in a user equipment device, the device enableable for use in a UMTS mobile telecommunications system, the system comprising a network of a plurality of cells and at least one user equipment device, the method comprising:

arranging the user equipment device to apply certain received information elements in a defined order;

receiving a system information block of type 11 and a system information block of type 12, the system information block of type 11 relating to idle and connected mode and the system information block of type 12 relating to connected mode, each of the system information blocks including at least one system information block information element, the information element related to a cell information list and having associated system information;

identifying a same information element from each of system information block of type 11 and system information block of type 12 where each of the same information elements relates to at least one cell information list ~~and where the associated system information for each of the same information elements is different;~~ and

applying the ~~different~~ system information associated with the identified same information elements according to the defined order;

~~by applying wherein the order defined in the user equipment device specifies that the~~ system information associated with the information element from block type 11 and then applying the system information associated with the information element from block type 12.

7. (Currently amended) A method for handling system information in a user equipment device, the device enableable for use in a UMTS mobile telecommunications system, the system comprising a network of a plurality of cells:

arranging the user equipment device to apply certain received information elements in a defined order;

receiving at least one each of System Information Block (SIB) 11 and SIB 12;

determining that each of the SIB 11 and the SIB 12 include ,each with one or more
information elements (IEs) relating to any of "intra-frequency cell info list", "inter-frequency cell
info list" and "Inter-RAT cell info list"; ~~identifying a same IE in both SIB 11 and SIB 12 that~~
~~also have different associated system information, ; and~~

applying the system information associated with the system information block
information element in SIB 11 and then applying the system information associated with the
corresponding system information block information element in SIB 12, according to the order
defined in the user equipment.